के दौरान विभिन्न कृषि मदों के निर्यात का ब्यौरा निम्नलिखित है :—

(करोड़ रुपए)

क० सं०	वस्तु	1992–93	1993–94
1.	चावल	975.60	1280.09
2.	गेहूं	10.21	0.27
3.	अन्य अनाज	10.16	48.29
4.	तम्बाकू	474.04	460.96
5.	मसाले	393.42	561.21
6.	काजू	748.66	1044.34
7.	सीसम और निगरलीड	116.22	75.17
8.	मूंगफली	7.72	157.68
9.	तेल खाद्य और ग्वारगम खाद्य	1648.47	2451.28
10.	शैलक	41.07	65.67
11.	चीनी और शीरा	353.51	176.87
12.	फल सब्जियां, प्रसंस्कृत फल आदि	862.63	1083.74
13.	स्प्रिट और पेय	41.65	44.94
14.	दालें	53.44	73.73
		5686.80	7524.24

(स्रोत : डी जी सी आई एण्ड एस कलकत्ता)

(ग) और (घ) वर्ष 1993–94 के दौरान अधिकांश कृषि वस्तुओं के निर्यात में वृद्धि हुई है। इस क्षेत्र में निर्यात बढाने के लिए किए गए प्रत्यानों में अन्य बातों के साथ-साथ शामिल हैं निरीक्षण प्रक्रियाओं का सरलीकरण चुनिंदा मदों पर न्यूनतम निर्यात कीमत तथा मात्रात्मक प्रतिबंध हटाना, हिमायती ऋण का प्रावधान, अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय आवश्यकता को पूरा करने के लिए उत्पाद विकास, ई० को० यू०/ई० जी जैड योजना के अन्तर्गत उपलब्ध लाभ कृषि क्षेत्र को भी देना, घरेलू टैरिफ क्षेत्र में 50% बिक्री की अनुमति देना, विकसित पैकेजिंग के लिए निर्यातकों को सहायता, गुणवत्ता नियंत्रण सुदृढ़ करना, ब्राण्ड संवर्धन अभियान के जरिए अभिज्ञात उत्पादों का निर्यात संवर्धन, क्रेता विक्रेता बैठकें आयोजित करना और अंतर्राष्ट्रीय मेलों/प्रदर्शनियों में भागीदारी ।

Contribution of EPZ's to Exports

3088. SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the contribution of exports by the Export Promotion Zones to total exports

from India has been very low as compared to the objectives/targets;

(b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years and the specific reasons and measures taken to improve the export performance of these zones;

(c) the net foreign exchange earned by each of these export promotion zones since their inception and during each of the last three years, their percentage of exports and the steps taken to inrease the net foreign exchange earnings; and

(d) return on capitel invested ir EPZ's by Government during each of the last three years and measure taken to improve the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (c) While the contribution of Export Processing Zones (EPZs) was about 3 per cent of total manufactured exports from the country, their performance has on the whole been in accordance with targets as will be evident from the statement below:—

(Rs. crores)

Year	Export target	Exports
1992 93	1330	1376.3
1993 94	2050	1959.9
1994 95	2500	2628.0 (Prov.)

A statement showing not foreign exchange earnings (NFE)) of each zone for the last 4 years is annx. *(See below).* Some of he recent initiatives taken by the Government to improve export competitiveness of EPZ units, inter alia, include higher access to the domestic market flexible value addition norms or electronic products and simlifcation of custom procedures. Areas of activities in EPZ have also been breadened to include trading, re-export after repacking/labelling, repairs, reconditioning and re-engim ering. Revision of the value additio formula w.e.f. 1.4.93, which no longer takes indigenous raw materia into account, would tend to increas NPE by encouraging BOU/EPZ unit to source their inputs domestically.

(d) The cumulative capital investe at the end of each year and the turn on capital, in the form of annu rentals collected, for the same perk in the last 3 years is as follows:—

(Rs. in crores)

Year	Cumulative capital invested	Annual Rent collectic
1991-92	116.71	5.4
1992-93	129.24	8.7
1993-94	164.49	7.4

The measures takerr to improve returns include fuller utilization of available premises and weeding out of non-performing units.

Statement

Net foreign exchange earnings by units in export processing zone

(Figures in Rs. Crore)

Year	Imports (GCA)	Exports		Total	NFE without taking into account RPA earnings
		RPA	GCA		
1	2	3	4	5	6
SEEPZ					
1991-92	349.55	99.82	400.35	500.17	50.80
1992-93	508.22	31.28	774.96	806.24	266.74
1993-94	829.87	7.55	1099.81	1107.36	269.94
1994-95 (Prov.) (April-Feb.)	1020.90	70.00	1223.20	1293.20	202.30
MEPZ					
1991-92	85.21	13.34	109.13	122.47	23.92
1992-93	117.24	..	177.13	177.13	59.89
1993-94	171.02	..	200.20	200.20	29.18
1994-95 (Prov.) (Apl.-Feb.)	142.93	..	232.88	232.88	89.95
NEPZ					
1991-92	45.69	10.69	60.15	70.84	14.46
1992-93	188.89	3.65	141.58	145.23	(—)47.31
1993-94	180.03	0.03	262.59	262.62	82.51
1994-95 (Prov.) (Apl.-Feb.)	201.31	1.85	294.47	296.32	93.16
FEPZ					
1991-92	8.69	17.45	10.45	27.90	1.75
1992-93	11.92	0.20	18.05	18.25	6.13
1993-94	20.06	12.41	23.15	35.56	3.09
1994-95 (Prov.) (Apl.-Feb.)	12.43	10.30	18.58	28.88	6.15

1	2	3	4	5	6
CEPZ					
1991-92	24.48	1.80	26.78	28.58	2.3)
1992-93	44.08	..	62.25	62.25	18.17
1993-94	59.08	0.10	53.71	53.81	24.63
1994-95 (Prov.) (Apl.-Feb.) . . .	46.99	1.94	85.83	87.7	38.8
KAFTZ					
1991-92	239.49	341.02	86.16	27.18	(—)153.33
1992-93	77.29	8.09	159.12	167.21	86.83
1993-94	86.21	6.29	264.07	270.36	177.86
1994-95 (Prov.) (Apl-Feb.) . . .	81.61	71.12	216.17	287.29	134.56

Indian Participation in Dubai Exhibiton

3089. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that India participated in the Third Dubai gold, jewellery, gems and watches exhibition held in the month of March; 1995;

(b) If so, the number' or Indian participants at the exhibition; and

(c) sale proceeds from participation in the exhibition?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) Twelve exporters were approved for participation in the Exhibition.

(c) Information regarding sale proceeds of the participants is not maintained in the Ministry.

Contribution of Darjeeling Tea Research Centre

3090. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Darjeeling Tea research Centre has been carrying on research on various aspects of tea plantation in the country;

(b) if so, the countribution made by the Centre in bringing Indian tea to the international standard;

(c) what other efforts have been made by the Centre in the promotion of tea production; and

(d) whether Government have made any assessment of the activities of the Centre and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (d) The Darjeeling Tea Research Centre (DTRC) was established to carry out research exclusively in tea for enhancement" of productivity, quality improvement and other related matters